



Apology... Susie

TV Susie spells out s***head on show

By ANDY HALLS, TV Editor

VIEWERS were left in stitches yesterday as Countdown dictionary buff Susie Dent spelt out the word s***head.

The Dictionary Corner whizz left host Nick Hewer stunned when she revealed the rude word.

The letters the contestants had to work with were MTHIAEDHS.

When she revealed it, Susie said: "I apologise for this one in advance – it's in the dictionary. We are saying this because it gets you one letter further, but it's 's***head'."

Nick said: "Susie, wash your mouth with soap."

Rachel Riley spelt the word out as she tried to hold in her laughter.

Viewers tweeted their amusement. One wrote: "My 8 year old spotted that word too! But as Susie did I had to let him have it. Haha."

Another added: "I would have still been proud of that!"



Forecast... Hammond

Brits face working to age 74 by 2063

By STEVE HAWKES

ALMOST every Brit in their 20s can expect to work until 74, according to a bombshell prediction.

The Treasury's independent forecaster says the state pension age may rise by nearly ten years by the early 2060s to cover us living longer.

It adds the number of Brits reaching 100 could have soared from 15,000 now to as many as a million by then.

The state pension age is already due to rise from 65 to 66 in 2020, followed by hikes to 67 in 2028 and 68 by 2046.

But the Office for Budget Responsibility, which draws up official spending forecasts for Chancellor Philip Hammond, says that under certain scenarios anyone born after 1989 could have to work until 74 by 2063.

The Department of Work and Pensions said: "No decision has been made on future changes to current timetables."



Rhian racy in red

By JACK LING

RHIAN Sugden looks the business as she prepares for life as an entrepreneur.

The former Page 3 girl, 30, modelled red lingerie from her own range that will be sold from her new online sex shop ToolBoxXx.com.

She is engaged to ex-Corrie star Oliver Mellor, inset, who clearly thinks she makes good company.



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NOT GUILTY PLEA ON RANT RAP STILL GAME'S FORD: I DENY PUB SEX SLUR

By CHRISTINE LAVELLE

STILL Game star Ford Kiernan denies making offensive sexual remarks to a barmaid, a court heard yesterday.

The actor, 54, will stand trial for allegedly shouting at the woman in a "threatening or abusive manner" at a pub.

Allegations... Kiernan

Kiernan – pensioner Jack Jarvis in the telly sit-

Star faces barmaid trial

com – did not appear at Glasgow Sheriff Court yesterday.

But his lawyer Lorna Clark told the court: "He is pleading not guilty."

Prosecutors claim Kiernan made repeated "obscene and degrading" slurs at the Shilling Brewing Co bar in Glasgow city centre last August.

The complaint against the actor states he directed "a sexual verbal communication" to the female employee – who cannot

be named for legal reasons. It also says he "behaved in a threatening or abusive manner likely to cause a reasonable person fear or alarm" by yelling and swearing at her.

Sheriff Lindsay Wood continued the case to a pre-trial hearing in April –

Scene... boozier

and ordered Kiernan to appear then. Trial was set for June.

If convicted, the star, of Kelvininside, Glasgow, could be put on the sex offenders register.

Yesterday's court session came two days before the Still Game cast reunite for 15 live shows at Glasgow's SSE Hydro.

Kiernan and Craiglang pals Greg Hemphill, 47, Sanjeev Kohli, 45, and Jane McCarry, 46, return to the stage tomorrow after a sell-out run in 2014. christine.lavelle@the-sun.co.uk

